

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as follows.

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1. (currently amended) A case for an electronic device,  
comprising:

a first protective material that maintains said electronic  
device within said case; and

at least one controlling interface, in electrical  
communication with said electronic device, and disposed on said  
first protective material, through which ~~said a~~ user can operate  
an electronic feature of said electronic device,

wherein said controlling interface is used as an upgraded  
set of controls.

2. (currently amended) ~~A case according to claim 1~~ A case  
for an electronic device, comprising:

a first protective material that maintains said electronic  
device within said case; and

at least one controlling interface, in electrical  
communication with said electronic device, and disposed on said  
first protective material, through which a user can operate an  
electronic feature of said electronic device,

wherein the electrical communication between said  
controlling interface and said electronic device is at least in

part carried out using wireless communication means.

3. (original) A case according to claim 1, further comprising:

a connection port, attached to said first protective material, for transferring electrical signals between said electronic device and said controlling interface.

4. (original) A case according to claim 1, further comprising:

at least one electrical output jack.

5. (original) A case according to claim 4, wherein said electrical output jack is an audio output.

6. (original) A case according to claim 1, further comprising:

an electrical input through which power is provided to store a charge for said electronic device.

7. (original) A case according to claim 1, wherein said controlling interface produces numerous command signals, including command signals that operate functions that are not operated by command signals produced from a controlling interface

of said electronic device.

8. (original) A case according to claim 1, further comprising:

at least one audio speaker that receives audio signals from said controlling interface.

Please add the following new claims.

9. (new) A case according to claim 2, further comprising:  
a connection port, attached to said first protective material, for transferring electrical signals between said electronic device and said controlling interface.

10. (new) A case according to claim 2, further comprising:  
at least one electrical output jack.

11. (new) A case according to claim 10, wherein said electrical output jack is an audio output.

12. (new) A case according to claim 2, further comprising:  
an electrical input through which power is provided to store a charge for said electronic device.

13. (new) A case according to claim 2, wherein said controlling interface produces numerous command signals, including command signals that operate functions that are not operated by command signals produced from a controlling interface of said electronic device.

14. (new) A case according to claim 2, further comprising:  
at least one audio speaker that receives audio signals from said controlling interface.

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